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This amendment for the patent application identified above is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 7, 2005, requesting the inclusion of correct status identifiers and indicating that the listing of claims did not include the text of all pending claims. During a conversation with Supervisory Patent Examiner Wynn Coggins, Applicants' representative confirmed that these comments were applicable to claims 11-14 and 28-31. These claims were withdrawn by Examiner in the Office Action dated March 15, 2004, and were subsequently canceled by Applicants in Amendment A submitted October 12, 2004. However, in subsequent correspondence with the Patent Office, the claims were incorrectly referred to as either "Withdrawn" or "Previously Withdrawn." However, consistent with the cancellation of these claims in the March 15, 2004, office action, Applicants hereby submit the claims in their presently canceled form, without reproducing

the text of these claims. Should Examiner believe that their status is otherwise, Applicants' representative kindly requests that Examiner take the action necessary to put the claims in the appropriate form for examination. Examiner is strongly encouraged to contact Applicants' representative if Examiner believes it will expedite prosecution.

The claims are reproduced beginning at page 3 of this paper.